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(Related Application)

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor or an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled

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the specification of which is attached hereto and was originally filed on April 27, 1998, as Application No 09/067,090 and issuing as U.S. Patent No 6,010,159 on January 4, 2000.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by the Preliminary Reissue Amendment accompanying this application.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code §119(e) of any United States provisional patent application(s) listed below and have also identified below any United States provisional patent application(s) having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120, of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application or in the prior U.S. provisional application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56, which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

<u>08/724,077</u>	<u>9/30/1996</u>	<u>Patented</u>
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<u>08/911,806</u>	<u>8/15/1997</u>	<u>Patented</u>
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I verily believe the original patent to be wholly or partially inoperative or invalid, by reason of claiming less than I had the right to claim in the patent, by reason of failing to claim priority from another copending U.S. application from which I had a right to claim priority and because of errors in the drawings causing an inconsistency between the drawings and the text of the specification. At least one excess or insufficiency in the claims is specified below.

I discovered that the claims of the issued patent do not adequately cover articles of manufacture disclosed in the patent. I hereby indicate my intent to broaden the claims in this reissue application.

All errors sought to be corrected in this reissue application up to the time of filing this declaration arose without any deceptive intention on my part or on the part of the patentee, Vanguard Identification Systems, Inc.

And I hereby appoint the registered attorneys and agents associated with **AKIN, GUMP, STRAUSS, HAUER & FELD, L.L.P., Customer No. 000570**, as my attorneys or agents with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

Address all correspondence to **Customer No. 000570, namely, AKIN, GUMP, STRAUSS, HAUER & FELD, L.L.P., One Commerce Square, 2005 Market Street, Suite 2200, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103**. Please direct all communications and telephone calls to **John Jamieson, Jr.**, at (215) 965-1310.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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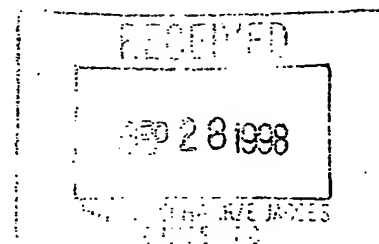
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2. Name and address of receiving party(ies):

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3. Nature of conveyance:

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- ☒ Assignment ☐ Merger
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To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

John Jamieson, Jr.
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July 7, 1998
Date

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ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, I, **Richard O. Warther**, a citizen of the United States with a post office address of 118 Shandon Place, Malvern, Pa 19355, hereinafter generally referred to as "ASSIGNOR", have invented a certain new and useful

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for which I have executed a United States patent application, Application No. 09/067,090, filed April 27, 1998, and

ASSIGNOR authorizes ASSIGNEE or ASSIGNEE's representative to insert the Application Number and Filing date of this application if they are unknown at the time of execution of this Assignment.

WHEREAS, **Vanguard Identification Systems, Inc.**, a Pennsylvania corporation having a place of business at 436 Creamery Way, Suite D, Exton, PA 19341, hereinafter generally referred to as "ASSIGNEE", is desirous of acquiring said invention and said patent application.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar and other good and valuable executed consideration, the full receipt and sufficiency of all of which are hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound hereby, I, the undersigned ASSIGNOR, hereby agree to sell, assign, transfer and convey and by these presents do sell, assign, transfer and convey unto the above-named ASSIGNEE, the whole and entire right, title and interest

in and to said invention as described in the above patent application, for the territory of the United States and its possessions and territories and all foreign countries;

in and to the above patent application and any and all related United States and foreign patent applications disclosing said invention, including provisionals, non-provisionals, divisions and continuations thereof, along with all rights of priority created by said patent application under any treaty relating thereto; and

in and to all United States and foreign patents which may be granted on any and all of said patent applications, including extensions, reissues and reexamination certificates thereof;

said invention, application(s) and patent(s) to be held and enjoyed by the above-named ASSIGNEE, for ASSIGNEE's own use and benefit, and for ASSIGNEE's legal representatives

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and assigns to the full end of the term or terms for which said patent(s) may be granted, as fully and entirely as the same would have been held by the undersigned ASSIGNOR had this assignment and sale not been made; and for the aforesaid consideration ASSIGNOR hereby covenants, agrees and undertakes to execute, whenever requested by the above-named ASSIGNEE, all patent applications, assignments, lawful oaths and any other papers which ASSIGNEE may deem necessary or desirable for securing to ASSIGNEE or for maintaining for ASSIGNEE all the patent(s) hereby assigned or agreed to be assigned; all without further compensation to the undersigned ASSIGNOR.

JUNE 4, 98
(Date)

Richard O. Warther
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STATE OF Pennsylvania :
COUNTY OF Chester : ss.

Before me, a notary public in and for the State and County aforesaid, on this 4 day of June, 1998, personally appeared **Richard O. Warther**, who being to me personally known, and who having first executed the foregoing instrument in my presence and have been by me first duly sworn, did acknowledge the foregoing instrument as his free deed and act, signed, sealed and delivered by him for the purpose therein stated and intending to be legally bound thereby and intending that said instrument be recorded.

Sandra S. Keefer
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

